

Are You And Your Pet Prepared for an Emergency?

Develop an emergency plan and don't leave your pets at home!

If you have enough notice, prepare an alternate home for your pet (family, friends, or local kennel) and get your pet there in advance.

Space and temporary cages may be limited at temporary sheltering locations, so if you have to respond to a shelter with your pet, make sure it is in a carrier .

Pay attention to news briefs, social media, city updates, and check the Louisville Metro government website for up to the minute status information on shelters in your area

Know which local hotels/motels will take pets, or which animal boarding facilities take pets before a disaster or during emergencies

Put together an Emergency Kit that includes:

- Food for three days
- Water for three days
- Medication for three days
- Travel bowls
- Veterinary Records (which can be photocopied for your kit)
- Pet Carrier
- Leash and Harness
- Newspaper for sanitary purposes
- Current Identification Tags (on your pet or taped to records)



animal house
ADOPTION CENTER



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